its force by its delay in coming.

That banner has always protected this as time shall last.—Saturday Herald. So? Why, the INTELLIGENCER had supposed all the time that it was some of these able-bodied drawers of that able-bodied and \$150,000,000 pension

that did the protecting. Congressman Tarsney, of the Kansas City district, says Grover Cleveland is the only person mentioned by the democrats in Missouri for president. How about it,

OEE, and Pete Stratten, of the Marshall Case, however, was one of the victims Democrat News?—Sedalia Gazette. As the report of what Tarsney said of the merciless shell that dropped in. came from the St. Louis Republic, "Jim Payne" isn't betting that that

was what Tarsney said. Capt. Alex. A. Lesueur, as Secretary challenged the writer to play a partie of State has made a model officer, and of chess, and arrangements were made should be given a second term without to play during the following forenoon. paralyzes."-Victor Hugo.

clares most emphatically in favor of went whirling over our heads, or burst liabilities, \$27,000,000. coinage of silver, nominated a full backs. state ticket, heading it with Hon. James E. Campbell, present incum- lookout, and whenever he would see a people in its deadly folds. bent. Two years ago Goy. Campbell plume of smoke arising from the emity over Foraker was 10,872, ont of a dark sphere, as it came straight towards total poll for the two men of 747,974, our faces, he would give the alarm, In this election Hamilton county gave Campbell 6,253 majority over Foraker. The Hamilton county delegation, led kind the boys called "ditch cleaners," its victims. by the Cincinnati Enquirer, in the con- there would be vigorous ducking of The vampire will soothe you by the Campbell's nomination.

Reading the conflicting reports concerning Secretury Blaine's health one is reminded of the dispatches that and quite a large crowd collected never comes. daily got into the press concerning the around the players to note its progress. The prosperity of the many is the the meeting of the national conventions queen's bishop, the man on watch many. in 1884. One reporter would slip up eried out: to the fence surrounding "Greystone," Mr. Tilden's residence, and run away and startle the political world with the intelligence that the sage of Grammer- rifle, and struck in the bank at our are bare and sleep in the cold. cy was so weak that he was compelled back and exploded as it struck. In an For two years the financial progno porter would run in on the great demogramed in the agony of death. A clouds are setting down again eratic leader, and astonish the political fragment of the shell had torn through The money power does not want the ing ten railed fences, riding hurdle he became excited. Indeed, these be tacted the air. only half hearted liars that are doing up Secretary Blaine.

port him.

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support him.

It would raise the standard of revolt joined the innumerable caravan, and possibly can. against the domination of Tammany, was laid to rest in one of those long ities. It would thrust its lance in the found sepulture. face of bonded aristocracy, and strike down the mailed myrmidons of conscienceless, concentrated and consoli-

dated capital striving to wrest from the

people their rights and liberties. who understands and condemns the would select one who opposes the infamous force bill, and the woeful wastefolness and extravagance of the republican party.

that a discussion of any vital political is-In the event of the democratic party sue is always pertinent, always in order. being compelled to take an eastern Discussion is the right of the people. man for its national standard bearer, it It is what they think that gives tone to must en leaver to thoroughly innoculate political platforms. It is what they him with the most advanced western- b-lieve that gives character to declara-

He must be fairly stuffed with west- emphasis to their demands. ern ideas.

crammed to the lips in the tariff laws, it is always pertinent

with them.

involved in the coinage of silver mon-The party must hold his nose and ey then a discussion of silver coinage dose him as we dose children with cas- is pertinent and in order until the san high priesthood.

matter is settled It don't make any difference how Two great commercial conventions, much he may kick and scream and representing 50,000,000 of people have scratch and gouge, give it to him. been held this year. Each one declared

Teach him and make him to know unequivocally that the unlimited cointhat there is no north, no south, no age of silver was demanded by all the east-simply all west. material interests of the country.

Fill him up with the knowledge that Three state democratic conventions lying at the wharfboat unloaded. Post- this paper in regard to the capturing of the about two weeks, four rooms over the west is not only the biggest thing have been held, and all of them un- Dispatch. out, but that it is the only truly big equivocally declared for the free and thing that is out-that it extends from unlimited coinage of silver. the Pacific coast to the Alantic shore, Are all these simply beating the

kabited valley of the Rio Grande and What has come over the Republic who were arrested on a warrant sworn such and somewhat angrily in the angular who were arrested on a warrant sworn respondent, and somewhat angrily in the angular press of tactory results, or in case of tactory Entil the west does that the west will have no recognition. Until it has recognition it will have no say as to what policy shall govern.

In the west does that the west west, more earnest than it, last winter, when the entire west, more earnest than it, last winter, assaulting Mrs. Rudolph Shieber, Clark's sister, was to have been tried in Justice Wallace's court Thursday, but was distributed by Smith Clark, charging them with assaulting Mrs. Rudolph Shieber, Clark's sister, was to have been tried in Justice Wallace's court Thursday, but was distributed by Smith Clark, charging them with assaulting Mrs. Rudolph Shieber, Clark's sister, was to have been tried in Justice Wallace's court Thursday, but was distributed to brue relict in every case, when need for any off-cried to brue relict in every case, when need for any off-cried to brue relict in every case, when need for any off-cried to brue relict in every case, when need for any off-cried them then the meant by giving its name to the public as being a gambler, when need for any off-cried them then the meant by giving its name to the public as being a gambler, when need for any off-cried them then the meant by giving its name to the public as being a gambler, when need for any off-cried them then them the offense with which not only when the offense with which not only plumed knight, and rode down the ness.

myrmidons of gold-bugism with ruth-A VICKSBURG EPISODE. "Old soldiers of the Sixth Missouri are always interested in anything Ed. Payne has to say of soldiering. His account last week in the INTELLIGENCER, of the "blow itated adversaries. It was a great up" at Vicksburg, excited much comment here, and reminiscence was the order of the day. George Ferrell, who was blown up at the time, said Payne, was saved m like fate by the caress of a cannon belt thick with the scalps of the braves ball the day before, while playing chess with Dave Case. Poor Case was killed and Payne lost three fingers. The game with the blood of the foes of silver coinage. It was a raging lion and the The above is from the Belton Leader erunching of bones as it devoured its victims made the flesh of the lesser

Mr. Ferrell, a cherished comrade of the writer, is somewhat off as to date. but not as to main facts. It was not the day before the explosion

"Here she comes!"

"Whire! buzz! bang!"

BEATING THE AIR.

the silver coinage question at this time

If this is true, why is not the discus-

sion of any other political question a

"beating of the air?" A discussion of

political questions is a means of educa-

tion. Discussion leads to investigation,

to discuss the tariff question. If they

is a "beating of the air."

"But su'thin' drapped!" And it must have "drapped" hard. at Fort Hill that the game of chess Our knight laid his lance away to rest. alluded to was played, but eleven days The gladiator turned to the wash tub. The warrior buried his tomahawk. The lion turned mouse. No more it rains How about it, company F, named Olson Pitts. Poor has flagged. Its pace is halting, its broke up the game and killed three and lame as a rag out of which the at home It was on Monday morning, June

14th. On the day before, Pitts had starch. THE FINANCIAL DEVIL FISH. "Its folds strangle. Its contact

opposition. He is not only thoroughly At the opening of the game a battery During the first six months of 1890, posted and very efficient in every detail of artillery near Gen. Grant's head- there were 5,385 business failures in Howard County, where he will spend of his position, but he adds to this an quarters was playing on our position, the United States. During the correseveral days with friends and relatives. accommodating manner of treating all delivering an oblique fire. All the sponding period in 1891 there were who visit his office that makes it a real damage that had been done was the 6,074 business failures. The liabili- Tuesday morning. He has been spen- furnished the INTELLIGENCER by the ters in this city. pleasure to go there.—Richmond Dem- destruction of a pot of roasted potato ties of the failing firms in 1890 were ding several weeks with relatives in officers, and the complainant can get Mrs. W. C. Allen and children, of Kar coffee the writer was boiling for his \$65,000,000. The liabilities of the breakfast, and it was with no small failing firms in 1891 were \$92,000,000. vention at Cleveland Wednesday, and, degree of contempt that we all regarded The excess of failures in 1891 over after adopting a platform which de- the "whistlers" that ever and anon those of 1890 was 689. The excess of where they will spend the balance of

tariff reform and the free and unlimited to fragments in the woodlands at our The devel fish of monopoly, corporate and concentrated capital is thus However, there was a man on the gradually encircling the masses of the

One by one its long tentacles, that made the race against Gov. Foraker brazures where the battery was planted, girt one about like bands of iron, are and defeated him. Campbell's major- and then arising above that a small drawing the people into its embrace.

One by one its multiplied suckers are applied to the naked flesh and the pustules are drawing through the tissues of completed. If the missile were low, one of the the yielding cuticle the life-blood of

vention Wednesday, bitterly opposed heads. If it was flying high some wag fanning of its wings, while stealing would whistle for it to come down, or from you your vital force. The money power soothes you by

"Here, colty; here's your mammy!" false hopes; monopoly quiets you by The game of chess opened very well, promises of a coming prosperity that

mental and physical condition of Samuel J. Tilden a few months before Samuel J. Tilden a few months before of his adversary's knights with the perity of the few is the ruin of the outfit.

The present financial condition like three in a bed when there is only ing and friends during the fore part of pecially would I warn them against the night. cover sufficient for one. The one may It was a shell from a 9pdr James be comfortable enough, the other two

around on a palankin, and so near sensation in his right hand. Pitts, prosperity. Six months ago there was harness making and repairing shop two voiceless that he could not articulate with a shrick, fell from his seat to the a hope of an early fruition of this doors south of the post-office. above a whisper. Then another re- bottom of the trench, and writhed and promise. But it has vanished and the

world by declaring that he had seen his body under his right collar bone, people to have prosperity. It seeks a Mr. Tilden and talked with him. He exposing a mangled, sickening mass of monopoly of that favor all to itself. To was active and vigorous and mentally lacerated lung, ligament, muscle and prevent that measure of prosperity that gigantic still. He spent his time jump-bone. The heart still beat, and one would inure to all under a liberal moncould see its desperate pulsations. Rese ey supply, it struck down the green- 15th. races with his nephew and arguing repiration had not ceased, and one could back. Then it demonetized silver, in lowing Saturday, and buried on Sunligion with his housekeeper. His voice see the labored inflations of the lungs. the fear that the output of our mines 50 pound weight on it to prevent it charging their precious fluid which store. Not satisfied with this it went to mourn her death from lifting the roof off the house when formed in immense clots as it con- to work last winter shipping gold out of the country. Week by week the Reclining near by was another mem- current flowed on, until nearly \$90,-

ber of company F, who received in the 000,000 have been transferred to the fleshy part of one of his hips the leaden bank vaults of Europe. If Mr. Cleveland is the choice of the lining of the shell. This lining was The money volume being lessened Democratic National Convention the nine inches long, two inches wide and it becomes that much harder for men half an inch thick. The edges were to meet their obligations. With the If Gov. Hill, of New York, is the rough and jagged. It was buried so contraction of money comes reduction choice, the INTELLIGENCER will sup- deep in his flesh that it could not be of the prices of all kinds of production. pulled out. Death soon came to the All kinds of business are failing. If Senator Gorman, of Maryland, is relief of this second victim, as it had Merchants, manufacturers, farmers. Even bankers are not exempt. On the Corder, this week, Dave Case was watching the game. contrary, the small banks of the country If Gov. Patterson, of Pennsylvania, A small fragment of shell was driven frequently fall into the remorseless is the choice, the INTELLIGENCER will in the joint of one of his knees. It did maw of plutocracy as any other kind of and Mrs. M. C. Kinsley not look like a mortal wound. There business. Three of these failed in Ver-

But if the INTELLIGENCER had its was no tearing of flesh; no disruption non county a few days ago. They do month at the home of his father-in-law, at 3 o'clock, for the purpose of discussing choice it would take neither of the of blood vessels; just a little wound in all they can to aid the people and keep in Fairville, Saline county. the knee, but the joint was shattered, the wolf away, which often-very It would take a man of the west. A without surface indications. Poor Case often-gets its fangs into their own assembled at the park last evening and man of broad, western views. A man believed from the first that he would vitals. Do not talk these institutions die. All efforts to enthuse his droop- down, they are among the best friends It would shap its finger at Wall ing spirits were unavailing. Erysipelas the people have, and the majority of has been visiting Mrs. A. O. Downing Martha Bledsoe. street, and defy the eastern plutocrat. set in, and in ten days he too had them render all the assistance they day

But there must be a break in the conand the corrupt ring rule of machine pol- frenches where so many noble fellows dition. There must be a change of handsome salary, but has not yet de policy. There must come a day when cided to accept the offer. purse strings. There must come a livery stable, was badly kicked by The St. Louis Republic, that wondertime when usury shall cease to extort; ful aggregation of self-assertion and when avarice shall no more grasp and bulldocity, says that the discussion of

> taken from the people. The remorseless grasp of the money power upon the throat of the people

For the want of money business flags, energy is dominant, enterprise dead. and will be presented by home talent. storerooms, the mechanic wastes his dance will doubtless be had.

to cut off its head. The way to destroy Aullyille and arrived in time to witness the money power is to increase the vol- the exercises of one of the leading ume of money. The way to do that is churches, it being childrens' day. A tion. It is what they want that gives to rescue silver from the condition of If the people's interests are involved

thoroughly saturated are involved in public extravagance, a free and unlimited coinage of silver, were also there from the vicinity of the evenest sort, and whose kindly smile

backward, even at the behest of parti-

The river is falling rapidly The sand bar at the foot of Tenth str

was visible Thursday morning.

stopping at this port.

COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE.

Corder. Visitors are numerous.

Quite a nice rain Monday night The farmers are busy threshing, One of John Morean's children

fauna creep with fear and consterna- short call Friday. The health of the community is to

erably good at presant. is the guest of the Misses Dean. Gill Goodwin and family of Marshall

No weddings to report, but from all blows upon the foes of silver. Its zeal appearances there might be one or two, not blame the paper for publishing Daisy, went to Kansas City E. A. Hawkins returned to St. Louis attitude full of doubt, it hangs limp Tensday, after spending a short time

summer rain has washed the stiffening We noticed J. W. Harrison and Capt. Whether the offense was gambling or Springs.

Mrs. D. G. Jackson, wife of our city

druggist, fell from a cherry tree and

broke her left arm. William Wilson left Friday night for

Mrs. S. A. Rine, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Bortsfield, left Wednes day morning for Eldorado Springs, the summer.

Concordia H. W. Thieman was in Kansas City Wednesday, on business. Business has been somewhat slow here during the past week.

Miss Seibel, of St. Louis, is here vis iting the family of John Stahl Dr. Lieser has taken posession of his

here at present. Wages are from \$1.50 to \$2.50 per day.

delayed in harvesting their crop, owing dren are to take part in the exercises. to the heavy rains. Louis Thieman is taking a pleasure

trip to Nebraska. He intends to be back in a few days.

Miss Lydia Ahrens, of Lexington, was here visiting the family of H. Ell-

decrepit that he had to be carried of men. The writer felt a stinging near future a period of unparalleled a barber shop here, has opened up a which has been brought down to the

Dr. E. J. Lutz, formerly of Kansas City, has located here. He has his office for the present in the upper story It is the only interpreter of the English

Higginsville Ben Endly and Ed Jackson spent Sunday in Lexington. Miss Letitia Ligon, of Dover, is visiting relatives in this city.

Charlie VanAnglen and Ike Neale Miss Virgie Hendrick, one of our most popular young ladies, spent Mon-

Miss Stella Harrison, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Nathan Corder, of near Miss Nellie Montgomery, of Mary

Elder Fred Loos recently received call to preach in Washington, at a very

James Belt, an employe at Payne horse Tuesday, and had two ribs bro ken. On the same day, he had his hand mashed in a machine. He is getting rob and hide away the treasures it has along as well as could be expected under the circumstances, and will soon be

Preparation is being made to produce Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs. It will be in the form of an operetta,

the Cofederate Home, a large atten-Last Sunday evening, through the courtesy of a friend, we were driven to

large crowd was present and we learn the 500 pounds. that a most pleasant day was passed commodity and restore to it the money by all who were present. Quite a crowd from Higginsville were there, for somehow, our people seem to love The INTELLIGENCER's good friend, Law Kentucky, Iowa, Ohio; all for the the people of Aullville, and a number yer Welborn, is a man whose temper is of Grange Hall. We were accompanied is for all at all times. He doesn't get by a friend who was completely be- angry, and enjoys a joke at his expense Ohio democrats didn't take a step witched by the sweet smiles of a lady Even the following, from the Odessa present. He does not reside here, Moon, caused one of his most equable owever, although the lady doesn't live smile

For the benefit of those who profess the correspondence columns. Last court that charges were not proof. The A. L. Mason only draws two feet week an item appeared as a local in The steamer Mason passed up at 4 names of the parties participating in Mrs E. Wintzer, apply to o'clock Wednesday morning, without the "innocent" amusement. Shortly after the paper was issued, a gentle-

it was not furnished by the correspondent. The week before a slight allusion was made to the acrest of five men on the previous Sunday, but no names were given. We had an object in withholding them from the public While it is bad enough for such a state of affairs to exist in any town, it is cortainly no remedy of the evil for anyone residing in that town to publicly advertise the deplorable fact—not only would we suppress it for the sake of day. Dr. Meng, of Dover, gave our town a the town's fair reputation, but we Charles Scarrett is here would refrain from mentioning the City. own sake, in the hope that it would nesday,

Miss Willie Wilmot, of Higginsville, tiers, But, it appears, when the leading ed from Chicago county paper gets their names, which Mr. and Mrs. John Morrison spent San is very easily done by consulting the day in Kansas City place, they accuse that paper's corres shopping here Wednesday. was only withheld on account of our visit with friends in North Missouri. do not wish to be unjustly accused. He and Katie, spent Asbury, of Higginsville on our streets whatever it may have been, it was Sabbath breaking, at the least. Now we have been about of Higgins and the guest of her daughter, Mrs. M. F. Russell. have plenty to write about of Higgins locate, but what is the use? Do we son City. expect people to locate here when such acts as this are known. For this reason Kansas City, are the guests of the we have always withheld the names of of Joe Kist. such parties and seldom mentioned the Mrs. Louis Atwein, of St. Joseph, is the

> School Libraries. Wellington, Mo., July 6, 1891. EDITOR INTELLIGENCER: -The teachers of Lafayette county are rapidly

attorney .- ED. INTELLIGENCER.]

A library containing a dictionary, an nevelopedia, books for supplementary country school, and a live teacher can spent Sunday in this city, the guest o soon work up such a sentiment in favor of the same that little difficulty need be Dr. J. F. Hassell, of this city, attended new brick house, which has just been experienced in securing them. If the completed.

completed. the annual meeting of the State I association at Louisiana last week. board to supply them he can have an cutertainment, the different parts of eral weeks, returned home Monday. which to be carried out by the pupils, and charge a small admittance fee, The farmers have been very much The patrons, knowing that their childays' visit with friends at Moberly. and that the proceeds are to be used in their home at Higginsville Tursday after-

purchasing a library, will lend encour- noon, for a short visit with friends, agement by their presence. answer a question asked by many several weeks, returned home Thursday, J. W. Lewis, of the vicinity of Ahna. teachers. It is in regard to what die- Mrs. Gus Newman and little son, Arthur. Webster. Partly because the material and binding are inferior but mainly because they are out of date. Estimated to his home at Sedalia Saturday so-ealled Webster's Encyclopedia Dic- George W. Redden, with Latour, lef so-called Webster's Encyclopedia Die-tionary. The body of this book, the will spend Sunday.—Sedalia Sunday Otto Kramer has bought the barber first 1290 pages, from a to z, is a re-Gazette. tools formerly owned by Henry Fiene, print by a photographic process of the Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Crist returned from and started a shop two doors north of 1847 edition of Webster's American the postoffice.

Chicago Saturday morning, where the lady had been for some time visiting her thought and knowledge in recent years. language in its present development.

Respectfully, C. D. RAGIAND. In response to a call by Mrs. W. G. Me-She was sent back here the fol- Causland, a number of ladies assembled two weeks, returned to their home in Kan was so strong that he had to keep a Nerves shredded and torn, arteries dis- would keep adding to the people's She leaves many relatives and friends There were present: Mesdames W. G. and cor, Odessa Moon, H. McCausland, G. W. Hyde, Wm. Aull, Mrs. J. W. Rinehart departed for Miami

Mrs. W. G. McCausland explained the object of the meeting, whereupon Mrs. Gordon was elected temporary chairman Jo It was determined after discussion to organize at once and the following officers

Mrs. Herbert Sparks, who has been the guest of her father, Ferd Smith, of the Prairie church neighborhood, returned to

President, Mrs. W. G. McCausland. Vice-president, G. W. Hyde, Corresponding secretary, Miss May Peak. Recording secretary, Miss Ridie Aull. Treasurer, Mrs. James E. Payne.

Mesdames Maria Pomeroy, Mary E. Here yesterday Miss May Hale, of Lexington, is visiting the family of T. G. Bowman, A. Barley, Mary Green and S. Gibbs, near this city.—Odessa Moon. H. Long were elected honorary members. A committee was then appointed and christian Association, went to Sedalia equested to meet in the basement of the Sedalia association's new rooms on Rev. J. S. Conner is spending this Baptist church this, Saturday, afternoon Ohio street. plans for an entertainment to be given Home at Higginsville. The following it visiting ner uncie, Snerm Warrensburg Journal-Democrat. nte Ault, Mrs. W. G. McCausland, Mrs. H.

has been visiting Mrs. A. O. Downing for several weeks, returned home Sun- It is hoped that a large meeting will long and happy life.—News of Hardin. come together this afternoon. Many Mrs. G. A. Cook, of Lexington, Mo., ar in this worthy cause, and the results have been altogether gratifying. Let Lexingmany friends will be glad to see her in ton open its great big heart and put itself our midst .- Windsor Times. firmly in the front rank of the supporters

Blow! Blow! Blow We will start up our mill making flour to-day. We will of her cousins, the Misses Brown. Misses Brown in the August term, issued between the blowing of our whistle. Do not get alarmed at our much making flour to-day. We will of her cousins, the Misses Brown. Misses Brown in the guest of her cousins, the Misses Brown. Misses Julia Andrews, Mary McCoy and Pattie Bohanon, three young Independence Indies, are spending the week with the Misses Fields, of Lexington.—Independence Garage and the court of Lafayette county, Misses Fields, of Lexington.—Independence Garage and the country of Lexington, on the second Manual Research (that the undersigned, in ministrative will apply to make a final settle ministr in this city the well-known fairy tale, not get alarmed at our much zetta. blowing of the whistle; it is only to let the people know ille, the merchant presides over empty opera house, and as the proceeds go to sold in Lafavette county. Our opening prices will be as follows, for cash only:

Comfort a 2.15 7 100 lbs. Bran a 550 P 100 lbs. by

McGREW MILLING CO.

Welborn, of Lexington, bad just had his to believe otherwise, we would ask the hair cut and sandpapered. He appeared columns whether or not its correspond- into the judge's left ear, and when Mr. I Lot we ents have anything to do with furnish. Chile: had concluded his chaste remarks | 1 Lot ing local items, that is, those which Mr. Welborn proceed to pile up supreme | 1 Lot ... appear under a local head, and not in decision upon decision to convince the

MES. ELIZABETH AHRENS.

A SAFE INVESTMENT. The case of felonious assault against man here hailed a Higginsville young those which a guaranteet to bring you satanyhow? What paper in the entire out by Smith Clark, charging them with quired what he meant by giving his broken because to broke the overy case let the INTELLIGENCER answer in its FARMERS, drugstore,

PERSONAL.

Alex Graves is at Denver. Oscar Pisher was here Sunday.

Albert Hainkel has returned to Quine; Miss Lydia Ahrens is visiting at Corder.

names of the guilty parties for their James Green was at Kansas City Wed cause them to desist Jirom such prac- Mr. and Mrs. John Goehner have return

records of the justice's office or a like Mrs. Alf. Downing, of Higginsville, wa spondent of the act. Now while we do Mrs. R. Taubman and daughter, Mis this, (for it is a matter of news, and Miss Mary Jordan has returned from a personal regard for them.) we certainly | J. J. Ridgell and daughters, Misses Hat-

ville's imbicements to those desiring to Miss Lizzie King returned Monday fro a two-weeks visit with friends at Jeffer Mrs. Gus Ekstom and Mrs. F. Meyer, of

Rev. W. J. Snow returned home fact at all. [The information was guest of her mother, Mrs. Meirer, and six names of the particular officials by sas City, are here visiting her mother, calling at this office or upon the county Mrs. Dr. McDonald has gone to George

to join her husband, who is in that state for the benefit of his health. Mrs. Alice Buckner and Mrs. Sallie Buckner, of Kansas City, were the guests this week of Mrs. W. K. Trigg. awakening to the importance of having a library in their schools.

Charles Weber, who has been a fine parents for several days, returned to St. Louis Monday morning. Mrs. Dan Wade and mother, of Lexing

ton, visited in our neighborhood last week

Greenton cor. Odessa Democrat. reading, etc., should be in every G. Washington Redden, of Sedalia

Miss May Ardinger, who has been vis Arthur B. Bullard, of Saunders' art gal-Mr. and Mrs. A. Wade came up from In this connection I should like to the guest of Miss Sadie McClelland for

Prof. H. D. Demand returned Sunday

of her brother, Grant, who is afflicted with typhoid fever. Mrs. Tutt, the aged mother of Frank Tutt, of the Missouri Pacific, was reported dangerously ill Monday, at her home in

Mrs. J. Switzer and children, who have

R. H. Bledsoe, John Gordon, James E. county, Kansas, Thursday, to visit her Payne, and Misses May and Alice Peak brother, who lives there, but who will T. J. Swearingen and daughter, Miss Maude Long, of Lexington, were in the city Sunday, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam P.

> her home at Kansas City Monday. Miss Julia Andrews, Miss Mary McCo and Miss Pattie Bohannon are visiting with the Misses Field at Lexington. In Eugene Marshall, of Lexington, was

Mr. and Mrs. Lubric, of Lexington, ar visiting Mr. Brammer on Main street.

John Trindle and Mrs. Lou Ford we married in Lexington, on Tuesday, July 8th. The bride and groom have a host o

Miss Marion Duvall, of Lexington, visiting the Misses Brown. Miss Dora Lee, of Odessa, is visiting her cousins, the

Mes. Georges, of Lexington, is the guest of hor son and daughter here. Mrs. Justices and children, of Lexington, are visiting relatives here. Mrs. O.S. Ratis has returned from Page City, where she visit-

I the family of Granville Page, Kansas Will Waddell, who has been connected with McCausiand, Young & McCausland's or the past two years, will have next yeak to accept a position with a dry goods troud Okiahoma City, Oklahoma. Will

Robert Hale, of Lexington, is at Sieher's A. J. Sparks, of Higginsville, was in own yesterday. Mrs. G. A. Cook and retty little daughter came in from Lexigton yesterday morning and after spend-g the day here left at 6 defock p. m. for i indsor for a visit of a fortnight. Seda-a Gazette, 11th.

J. C. McGrew, accompanied by his wife C. McGrew, Jr., and A. V. Robinson, o exington, were the guests of W. H. Hall ad family Wednesday Miss Mattie own left for Lexington Tuesday, to join ne party bound for Onlario, Canada, dine will have a fair and cultured repre-sultative in the National Educational as-iciation. Malla Bend Qui Vivo. Ethan Allen, of Lexington, took in th ourih of July picule here. Miss Lettie nunders, of Lexington, spent Saturday nd Sunday in this city. Miss Jessie Buron went to Lexington yesterday, to visit cients for a time. Miss Minerva Mariends for a time. Miss Minerva Ma all returned to her home at Lexingto Monday from a visit to friends in this city. Misses Previous Martin and Nel-son Chamblin spent Sunday in Lexingn Sam Howe and sister Miss Res of Lexington, attended the picnic here Saturday, in company with Miss Anna

yous, of Page City.—Higginsville Demo-

County Allorney Aull had business in the city Monday — Circuit Clerk Ewing, of Lexington, was in Higginsville Mon-day — John Gehner and wife, of Lexingaughter, of Lexington, were in the city on the fourth, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Wade - Mrs. H. D. Demand returned to her home at Lexington Tuesday from a two weeks' visit to her parents at Pilot Grove – Miss Effic Mason went to Lexngion yesterday, to join the party of eachers who are bound for an excursion rip to Toronto, Canada. The entire part eff Lexington Wednesday. Lesueur, secretary of state, was among the distinguished visitors at our fourth of July celebration. Mr. Lesucur takes a great interest in Lafayette county and a

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o'S. J. Andrew, Clerk of the County Court of Latayette County, Missouri: Sta: It is my duty to inform you that under

"The Secretary of the Board of Curator

EMPLOYMENT.

#### energy is dominant, enterprise dead. For the want of money labor goes without employment. The artisan is entertainment to be given in the new best and cheapest flour ever that the people know that we propose to sell you the best and cheapest flour ever that the people know that we propose to sell you the best and cheapest flour ever that the people know that we propose to sell you the best and cheapest flour ever that the people know that we propose to sell you the best and cheapest flour ever that the people know that we propose to sell you the best and cheapest flour ever that the people know that we propose to sell you the best and cheapest flour ever that the people know that we propose to sell you the best and cheapest flour ever the people know that we propose to sell you the best and cheapest flour ever the people know that we propose to sell you the best and cheapest flour ever the people know that we propose to sell you the best and cheapest flour ever the people know that we propose to sell you the best and cheapest flour ever the people know that we propose to sell you the best and cheapest flour ever the people know that we propose to sell you the best and cheapest flour ever the people know that we propose to sell you the best and cheapest flour ever the people know that we propose to sell you the best and cheapest flour ever the people know that we propose to sell you the best and cheapest flour ever the people know the people know

Hope a \$2.65 p too lbs. The Grandest Cut-Price Sale 5 pieces New Style Zephyrines, 12 1/2 c, for 4 pieces New Style Canton Cloth, 15c, for 5 compart at 2 1/2 to 2 lbs. OF THE SEASON.

Being in Need of More Room 9 pieces New Mohair, 65c, for

for Boots and Shoes, we propose to obtain it by reducing our Hat Stock, the largest in the county. Everything in the line of Men's and Boys' Headwear is now offered at prices never heard of before in this community. To give an idea of what we mean by cut prices, please note the following quotations on seasonable goods:

Eight Brown • • • • • 1.75, • 5.00 Cedur • • • • • 2.00, • 3.50 Nutria 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 100, 44 2,50 1 Lot Young Men's Stylish Light Stiff Hats, 1 Lot · · · · Pearl · · · 2.00, \*\* 3.00 1 Lot Imported Crushers, Satin Lined, 1.25 34 25 3111 1 Lot Fine Mackmay Straw Hats 1.25 to 81.50. a gambling den, which also gave the Smith & Bolton's store, now occupied by I Lot Fine Straw Hats for Little Boys, 5 to 6 vrs Novelties never before shown here 1 Lot Straw Hats suitable for either Boys or Girls, 1.15, \$\sigma = 2.00

In addition to the above we have hundreds of other genu-

Smith & Bolton,

Eleventh Street and Franklin Avenue.

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Many of our customers and citizens doubtless have been waiting and watching for this great event, and they will now have their anticipations realized. Our entire stock of Dry Goods must now be closed out for what they will bring-cost not considered at all. You can buy many goods for less than we paid for them. We need the money and the room for our

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act wisely by at once availing yourself of the

Tremendous and Extraordinary Reductions

WOOLEN DRESS GOODS AND DRESS SILKS

ectal pride in our prosperouseity.—Hig- of every description; Grenadines, Challies, French and Zephyr Ginghams, Wash Fabrics, Spring Jackets, Shoulder Capes, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, Silk Gloves and Mittens, Parasols, Corsets and Notions generally, White Quilts, Table Linens, Towels, Crashes, Ladies' Muslin Underwear, Ribbed Vests, Consumers, Books County, Mo., July 1, 301. Percales, Ginghams, Cheviots, and, in fact, everything in the line of Dry Goods.

### White Goods, Black Organdies

Embroideries, Laces and Flouncings. Of these we carry the best and finest in town. We intend to close out every yard, and to do it we will stick the knife in deep. So now is your chance to save money.

Best Calico, now 5c,.......old price 7tc | 1000 papers Best English Needles, 500 yards White Goods, plaids and 25 dozen Children's Fancy Hose,

...50c 12 pieces French Satines, now 124c, 

The Great Sale is now on, and we want it distinctly understood that all our goods go at Slaughter Prices, many at about one-half of what our competitors are getting for them.

ED. W. H. AHRENS.

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## THE TRADE

and a cordial invitation to everyone to inspect our

# Closing-Out Sale of Summer Goods.

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#### HERE IS HOW WE TALK

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5 Cents. : 5 Cents. 4 pieces New Style Pongees, 25c, for 5 pieces New Style Zephyrines, 12 1/2c, for 6 pieces New Satines, 10c, for : : : 5 Cents. 7 pieces New Satines, 15c, for 10 pieces New Henriettas, 25c, for : 20 pieces New Serges, 25c, for :

These are Eye-Openers,

and only go to show how well we are inclined to treat our triends. Our stock is tresh and bought at right prices. We need Dollars now more than Dry Goods, and Lence we offer you the chance to get rare bargains.

Come at once. Get your share and be happy.

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